

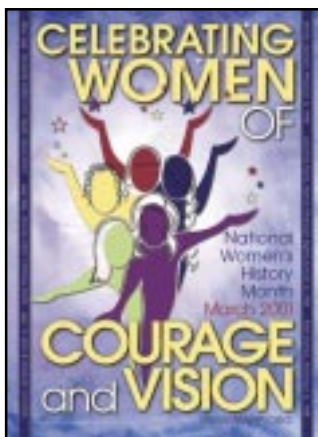
June 2001

WPAFB Black Employment Program Achievement and Leadership Award

February 27 - Awards Ceremony and Reception

WRIGHT-PATTERSON AFB, Ohio — Category II - Affirmative Employment - Phillip L. Mitchell, Chief Financial Management Division, Air Force Research Laboratory Air Vehicles Directorate.

Category II recognized individuals who have made significant contributions to the employment and advancement of African American employees within the WPAFB-serviced work force.



Federal Women's History Month

"Celebrating Women of Courage and Vision"

April 13 - HQ Awards Ceremony

WRIGHT-PATTERSON AFB, Ohio — Recognition to Gay Dugan, Palace Knight Program Administrator; Cindy Arnett, Executive Secretary to the AFRL Commander; Tricia Randall, Secretary to the Chief of Technology Transfer and Corporate Communications Division; Sheri Warner, Military Officer Assignments Program Manager; Brenda Gable, Chief of Financial Management Analysis; 1st Lt. Julie Graham, International Program Manager; CMSgt. Barbara Nie, Superintendent Corporate Communications; Tammy Lyons, Chief of Work Force Programs and Resources Unit; Laura Leising, Plans and Programs Engineer; Jan Moore, Secretary for the Deputy and Associate Directors - Plans and Program; Beth Swigart, Personnel Liaison Assistant; Diane Henn, Acquisition Professional Development Program Manager; Sherry Valentine, Manpower Management Analyst; Janet Peasant, Project Engineer; Diana Smith, Senior Advisor for Director of Plans and Programs; Claudia Neal, Secretary for Modeling and Analysis Division; Mia McLendon, Administrative Assistant; Carrie Foreman, Secretary to the Director - Plans and Programs; Kristie Blakley, Manpower Management Analyst.



Pictured (l to r): Robert J. May Jr., presenter; Carrie Foreman; Brenda Gable; 1st Lt. Julie Graham; Janet Peasant; CMSgt. Barbara Nie; Tammy Lyons; Claudia Neal, Sherry Valentine, and Diane Henn.

Council recognizes career achievements

February 22

WRIGHT-PATTERSON AFB, Ohio — Five members of the Air Force Research Laboratory (AFRL) received awards from the Affiliate Societies Council of the Engineering and Science Foundation of Dayton during a Feb. 22 ceremony at Sinclair Community College in Dayton.

Dr. Douglas Dudis and Lois Gschwender of the Materials and Manufacturing Directorate's nonmetallic materials division received the society's outstanding scientist and outstanding engineer awards respectively.

Dudis joined the directorate's polymer branch in 1989 and has an outstanding record of applying molecular modeling to help generate original chemical concepts and develop new computational techniques and methodologies.

Gschwender has provided field support by establishing acceptable levels of fuel in aircraft hydraulic systems. This has allowed aircraft to continue their missions without unnecessary grounding or maintenance actions.

Grant R. McMillan of the Human Effectiveness Directorate received the Affiliate Societies Council Award for his career accomplishments in two principal areas. His work advanced the state of the art in hands-free control especially in the area of brain-actuated technology for interacting with computers and other physical devices.

James R. Gord, a senior research chemist with the combustion science of the Propulsion Directorate, turbine engine division, has established a sustained record of technical achievements. Ford received his award in the research category.

Phillip R. Chandler is a senior research scientist and project leader in the Flight Control Division of the Air Vehicles Directorate, where he is involved in the development of new reconfigurable flight control methodologies and systems for future aircraft. His award came in the research category.

The Affiliate Societies Council is comprised of representatives from about 50 engineering and science professional societies whose combined membership exceeds 15,000. Every year, the council recognizes Dayton-area engineers and scientists from a large field of candidates in a variety of science and engineering categories.

Remillard receives annual LMCA award

April 24-27

WRIGHT-PATTERSON AFB, Ohio — Chris Remillard, Air Force Research Laboratory Det 1/WS has been honored with the 2000 Richard L. Hennes Logistics Management Control Activity Award.

Remillard was presented a trophy for the annual award by Brig. Gen. Paul D. Nielsen during the LMCA chief's meeting held April 24-27. There were two other nominations in this year's competition.

LMCAs represent the point for materiel support activities between the Standard Base Supply System.

The winner was selected based on mission support, inventory management, and subjective factors.



Remillard (right) is pictured with LMCA Chief John Finnegan

2001 Annual Air Force Merewether Award



Merewether Award

WRIGHT-PATTERSON AFB, Ohio — The following team was selected for the 2000 Annual Air Force Merewether Award in the category of Most Significant Technical Contribution:

AFRL OpSEND Team (Gregory Bishop, Terrence Bullett, Keith Groves, Stephen Quigley (AFRL/VSB, Hanscom) and Ronald Caton (Contractor, Radex), Colin Cook (Contractor, Radex), Robert Daniell (Contractor, Computational Physics Incorporated), Susan Delay (Contractor, Boston College), Patricia Doherty (Contractor, Boston College), Claude Dozois (Contractor, University of Massachusetts, Lowell), Ernest Holeman (Contractor, Boston College), Daniel Madden (Contractor, Boston College), Neil Miller (Contractor, Radex), William McNeil (Contractor, Radex), Gary Sales (Contractor, University of Massachusetts, Lowell), and Ethan Sexton (Contractor, Radex) and DMSP/SESS Sustainment Division, Space and Missile System Center.

The combined AFRL and SMC team designed and fielded the OpSEND project - a graphic-based space environment forecasting tool operationalized at the 55th Space Weather Squadron (SWXS)